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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Thirty-seventh Saturday in 1938

(*10th September*, 1938.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 10th September 1938					Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Upto the end of the week from 1st January 1938				
					This year		Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	
1	2		3		4		5	6	7
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	I.	c.
galore (observatory)	0	01	1	46	23	49	19	3	59
kote ...	0	00	1	11	14	74	16	—1	27
ballapur ...	0	00	1	10	16	06	17	—1	39
mangala ...	0	00	1	28	21	51	17	4	22
kanhalli ...	0	16	1	26	30	96	17	13	28
adi ...	1	62	1	53	28	51	18	9	83
nnapatna ...	0	27	1	40	30	56	18	11	85
kal ...	2	72	1	27	21	01	19	1	14
vanhalli ...	0	00	1	15	14	91	16	—1	87
losepet ...	0	50	1	23	24	71	18	5	98
District average ...	0	53	1	28	22	65	18	4	54
Kolar ...	0	10	1	04	11	42	15	—3	77
Bowringpet ...	1	40	1	11	17	02	15	1	28
Chintamani ...	0	00	0	82	23	00	14	8	40
Mulbagal ...	1	47	1	14	15	10	16	—0	92
Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	1	05	18	88	16	2	71
Chikballapur ...	0	16	1	20	20	89	17	3	19
Bagepalli ...	0	12	1	24	21	12	14	6	50
Goribidnur ...	0	51	1	00	15	15	15	0	14
Malur ...	0	00	0	89	17	07	16	0	60
Srinivaspur ...	0	16	0	92	17	00	15	1	53
Gudibanda ...	0	90	1	27	22	19	17	5	06
District average ...	0	44	1	06	18	08	15	2	25
Tumkur ...	0	00	1	07	18	55	18	0	36
Madhugiri ...	0	30	0	97	20	80	14	6	21
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	81	16	18	14	1	27
Sira ...	0	00	0	75	13	25	11	1	63
Gubbi ...	0	00	0	88	24	87	15	8	90
Tiptur ...	0	00	0	69	10	58	13	—2	47
Pavagada ...	0	45	0	93	22	67	11	11	40
Kunigal ...	0	34	1	45	23	02	16	6	30
Koratagere ...	0	00	0	70	16	27	14	2	12
Turuvekere ...	0	08	0	87	22	45	14	8	12
District average ...	0	12	0	91	18	86	14	4	38

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·00
Kulthi	12·00	12·00	15·00
Kadale	9·00	9·00	10·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	6·00
Ragi	18·00	18·00	12·00
Kulthi	15·00	15·00	11·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	5·00
Ragi	16·00	16·00	11·00
Kulthi	12·00	12·50	12·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 10th September 1938						Price of food grains in seers per and market fluctuations in prices food grains			
	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1938							
			This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (−) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past year fortnig aver
												Seers	Seers	Se
MYSORE														
Mysore (observatory)	1	96	0	82	13	39	17	60	— 4	21				
Chamarajnagar ...	2	75	1	00	16	86	15	05	1	81				
Seringapatam ...	0	24	0	89	15	85	14	73	1	12				
Hunsur ...	0	91	0	76	16	03	19	49	— 3	46				
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	08	0	55	14	88	14	32	0	56	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	8
Heggaddevankote	2	05	0	81	26	40	26	38	0	02				
Gundlupet ...	1	19	0	48	13	59	14	77	— 1	18	Ragi	16·00	16·00	16·00
Nanjangud ...	2	20	0	75	13	18	17	40	— 4	22				
T.-Narsipur ...	2	68	0	90	19	99	15	93	4	06	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Malvalli ...	1	10	1	09	16	16	15	05	1	11				
Mandya ...	0	10	1	05	13	66	14	85	— 1	19	Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·50
Krishnarajpete ...	0	42	0	68	16	41	16	21	0	20				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	98	13	62	13	79	— 0	17				
Periyapatna ...	0	39	0	41	15	09	22	40	— 7	31				
Maddur ...	0	52	1	36	19	44	15	24	4	20				
French-Rocks ...	0	00	0	72	13	03	14	17	— 1	14				
District average ...	1	04	0	83	16	10	16	71	— 0	61				
HASSAN														
Hassan (observatory)	0	28	0	77	14	60	21	72	— 7	12				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	72	1	61	59	05	78	13	—19	08	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9
Arkalgud	0	00	0	71	16	17	26	27	—10	10				
Belur ...	0	25	0	60	17	63	28	12	—10	49	Ragi	19·00	19·00	1
Channarayapatna ...	0	34	0	49	17	07	15	46	1	61				
Arsikere ...	0	62	0	70	16	37	14	60	1	77	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	50	0	52	18	49	16	36	2	13				
Alur ...	0	75	0	50	18	33	30	52	—12	19	Kadale	8·00	8·00	
District average ...	0	56	0	74	22	21	28	90	— 6	69				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	25	0	60	13	53	23	60	—10	07				
Channagiri ...	1	70	0	69	15	15	18	15	— 3	00				
Honnali ...	0	08	0	30	12	35	13	84	— 1	49	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·75	7·75	
Shikarpur ...	0	19	0	64	26	47	26	33	0	14				
Scrab ...	0	10	1	18	38	11	51	00	—12	89	Ragi	20·00	20·00	
Sagar ...	0	48	1	49	61	61	72	42	—10	81				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	26	1	51	84	06	92	51	— 8	45	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	12
Tirthahalli ...	0	35	2	31	88	19	108	57	—20	38				
Kumsi ...	0	15	0	82	25	28	31	94	— 6	66				
District average ...	0	40	1	06	40	53	48	71	— 8	18				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	41	15	51	23	96	— 8	45				
Kadur ...	0	10	0	29	09	61	12	37	— 2	76	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	8·00	8·0
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	67	15	91	25	49	— 9	58				
Koppa ...	0	61	2	45	92	92	102	52	— 9	60	Ragi	20·00	22·00	22·0
Mudgere ...	1	13	1	79	53	33	79	52	—26	19				
Narasimharajpura ...	0	35	1	43	39	82	61	03	—21	21	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	16·0
Sringeri ...	0	55	3	34	130	42	130	31	+10	11				
											Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·0
District average ...	0	39	1	48	51	07	62	17	—11	10				
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug(observatory)	0	00	0	44	15	17	13	73	1	44				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	42	13	07	08	93	4	14	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	5
Hiriyur ...	0	15	0	61	09	69	11	41	— 1	72				
Holalkere ...	0	18	0	56	15	30	14	15	1	15	Ragi	22·00	22·00	12
Davangere ...	0	00	0	53	12	64	14	66	— 2	02				
Molakalmuru ...	0	30	0	81	12	92	11	80	1	12	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	9·0
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	42	12	15	12	33	— 0	18				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	37	08	95	12	95	— 4	00	Cholum	16·00	16·00	12·0
Harihar ...	0	00	0	37	09	07	12	11	— 3	04				
											Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·0
District average ...	0	07	0	51	12	11	12	45	— 0	34				
Provincial average ...	0	44	0	98	25	20	27	17	— 1	97				

NOTE—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Elensine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horsegram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi, avare and thogari are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Potato crop is being harvested in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Same, horsegram and chillies are being sown in some parts and weeding operations are in progress.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, ragi, avare and groundnuts are reported to be good.

Crops Sown.—Same, horsegram and chillies.

Crops Harvested.—Gidda ragi, navane and tobacco in parts of Goribidnur Taluk; and til in other taluks.

10. Fair. Rain urgently wanted for dry crops in the Taluks of Kolar and Chintamani.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Blackquarter in some parts of Chikballapur and Malur Taluks.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Horsegram in parts of Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks; paddy in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks; jola in the Gubbi Taluk; paddy and horsegram in the Pavagada Taluk are reported to have been sown.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, thogari, jola, castor and groundnut in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknaikanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur, Kunigal and Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks; ragi, avare and togari in the Sira Taluk; til in the Chiknaikanhalli, Tumkur and Turuvekere Taluks; paddy and sugarcane in parts of Tumkur, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks; paddy in the Chiknaikanhalli Taluk; chillies in the Tumkur Taluk; jola, nati-ragi and groundnut in the Pavagada Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Fodder and water are reported to be available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Horsegram and greengram are being sown in parts of T.-Narsipur and Heggaddevankote Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Such as paddy in parts of Seringapatam, Malvalli, T.-Narsipur, Krishnarajpete, French-Rocks, Chamarajnagar, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote and Maddur Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Mandya, Krishnarajpete, French-Rocks, Chamarajnagar and Maddur Taluks; ragi in parts of Malvalli, Gundlupet, T.-Narsipur, Krishnarajpete, French-Rocks, Chamarajnagar, Periyapatna and Maddur Taluks; togari in parts of Gundlupet, Periyapatna, Heggaddevankote and Maddur Taluks; til in parts of Mandya and Periyapatna; horsegram in parts of Mysore, Chamarajnagar, Hunsur and Maddur Taluks; avare in Periyapatna, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote and Maddur Taluks; groundnut in parts of Maddur Taluk and caster in parts of Gundlupet, Hunsur and Heggaddevankote Taluks are in good condition.

Seeds Sown.—Horsegram has been sown in parts of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Jola in parts of Gundlupet, Krishnarajnagar and Hunsur Taluks; and ragi in parts of Hunsur and Heggaddevankote Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available in sufficient quantity.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Horsegram and other grains are being sown in Arsikere Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy in Hassan, Manjarabad, Belur, Arkalgud, Hole-Narsipur and Chennarayapatna Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in Hassan, Arsikere, Chennarayapatna, Hole-Narsipur and Arkalgud Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; sugarcane in Chennarayapatna, Hole-Narsipur, Arkalgud and Belur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; horsegram in Chennarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and jola in Chennarayapatna Taluk are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Belur Taluk and sugarcane in Chennarayapatna Taluk are being harvested.

10. Favourable. No signs of distress.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks and the sub-taluk; but in Manjarabad Taluk, it is reported that haemorrhagic septicæmia was prev ailing. The Veterinary Inspector attended to the inoculation work.

Fodder and water are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. I. *Agricultural Operations.*—Horsegram in Shimoga, Channagiri, Sorab and Hosnagar Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in Shimoga Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; navane in Shimoga and Sorab Taluks and save in Sorab Taluk are being sown.

II. *State of Standing Crops.*—Dry crops in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Sorab Taluks; wet crops in the Channel area of Shimoga Taluk; sugarcane and paddy in Honnali, Sagar, Hosanagar, Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and ragi in Kumsi Sub-Taluk are reported to be good. Koleroga is yet prevailing in Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks. Kotte and spraying operations are continued to check the spread of the disease. The Amildars of Shimoga and Honnali report that crops in certain parts of the taluks are withering for want of rains while the Amildar of Sorab states that rain is required all over the taluk and the Amildar of Shikarpur reports that crops in 18 villages of Talagunda Hobli are withering for want of rains.

III. *Crops Harvested.*—Areca is being harvested in Hosnagar Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair except for want of rains in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Sagar Taluks.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Foot and Mouth Disease" in Gajanur and Gadikoppa villages of Shimoga Taluk, "Throat disease" in Yelawala and Hanchi villages of Sorab Taluk and Rinderpest in Moogadthi and Kanabandur villages of Hosnagar Taluk. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors are reported to be taking necessary action in the matter.

Fodder and water are available for cattle.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugarcane, navane, save, areca, cordamum, pepper and coffee are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Rain is wanted for the paddy crop in Tarikere and Chikmagalur Taluks.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district.

It is reported that there is prevalence of Gatluroga (ಗಟ್ಲು ರೋಗ) to cattle in Channapura and Mallenahalli villages, Tarikere Taluk.

Fodder and water are reported to be available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of nati paddy in the channel area of Hiriyur Taluk; blackgram, navane and cotton in Jagalur Taluk; blackgram and navane in Hosdrug Taluk are reported to be going on.

Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all the taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Chitaldrug Taluk is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of Naradi Roga in Medakerenaikanakote village in Hiriyur Taluk in Medaginakere village of Jagalur Taluk; (ಹೊಟ್ಟೆಯುಬ್ಬರ ರೋಗ) in Bilchod village, Jagalur Taluk. Necessary remedial measures have been adopted by the Veterinary Inspectors concerned to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available in all the taluks.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated the 13th September 1938

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Assistant Commissioner,
For *Revenue Commissioner,*
(Absent from the Station).